

OVERTON ARRESTED; ADMITS IDENTITY BUT FIGHTS REQUISITION

Alleged Slayer of Probate Judge Lawler Caught
At Smithville, Tenn.

HUNTSVILLE SENDS THE REWARD OF \$1,500

Committee of Madison County Citizens Leave
For Smithville to Aid in Legal Battle for
Return of Fugitive to Alabama.

(Special to the Daily.)
Smithville, Tenn., Sept. 26.—
Rumors were prevalent here this
afternoon to the effect that friends
of David D. Overton were en route
here from Madison county for the
purpose of attempting to liberate
him. Sheriff Puckett swore in ex-
tra deputies and made arrange-
ments to hurry Overton to Nash-
ville, where he will be kept pend-
ing application for requisition.

(Special to The Daily.)
Huntsville, Ala., Sept. 26.—So
far as known here this afternoon
no friends of David D. Overton
have gone to his rescue, although
it has been currently reported
that he has a band of 50 picked
men at Hazle Green, his former
home, 14 miles north of here, who
may go to his assistance. The
friends of Judge Lawler who went
to Smithville today made the trip
merely for the purpose of com-
pleting the identification.

(International News Service.)
Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 26.—
Solicitor Joseph Tate, who assist-
ed in the investigation of the
Lawler murder at Huntsville, re-
ceived a telegram this morning
from Robert Lawler, a brother of
the murdered man, stating that
David Overton, accused of the
crime, was captured yesterday
afternoon at Smithville, Tenn.
Other messages received here
also tended to confirm the cap-
ture of Overton. It was learned
later that every indication point-
ed to the arrest of the right man.
Chief of Police Dias of Huntsville
with a deputy sheriff are hurrying
to Smithville to identify Overton.
There is but little doubt here that
the much wanted fugitive has been
run to earth.

(Special to Daily.)
Huntsville, Ala., Sept. 26.—A
committee of local citizens head-
ed by former Probate Judge S. M.
Stewart, left here this morning
for Smithville, Tenn., where they
went for the purpose of bringing
D. D. Overton, former circuit
court clerk, and badly wanted for
the alleged murder of Probate
Judge Thomas Lawler, back to
Alabama. Chief of Police Dias
had previously gone to Smithville
and identified Overton. The com-
mittee from here carried with
them the \$1,500 offered as a re-
ward for Overton's apprehension,
and it will be turned over to
Sheriff Puckett, of De Kalb coun-
ty. Overton will not be brought di-
rect to Huntsville, but if the re-
quisition papers taken out today
at Smithville are honored by Gov-
ernor Rye of Tennessee, he will be
carried to the Birmingham jail for
safe-keeping. There was much
suppressed excitement here today
when the news of Overton's ar-
rest became known through the
extra issued by the Huntsville
Times, but no threats of mob
violence were made.

(Special to the Daily.)
Smithville, Tenn., Sept. 26.—Arrested
last night about dark by Sheriff
Puckett of De Kalb county, David D.
Overton, fugitive from justice in Ala-
bama, today admitted his identity,
which he at first denied. Early this
morning he expressed a willingness
to return to Alabama without requisition
papers, but later in the day changed
his mind and decided to put up a legal
battle for his liberty. He has engaged
able counsel for his defense.
Late yesterday afternoon Overton
went to the Seven Springs Hotel, seven
miles out from here, and registered
for the night under the name of

Wall. This resort is much fre-
quented by Huntsvillians during
the summer season. He claimed that
he was in the insurance business. He
was recognized by a former acquain-
tance, who tipped the information off
to Sheriff Puckett. The latter at
once made preparations to arrest
Overton, but the latter getting wind
of the fact that he had been recog-
nized, hired a horse and buggy and
drove into the country. He told the
liverman that he was going to visit
Silver Point, a picturesque mountain
spot near here.

Sheriff Puckett started out in the
direction the man was said to have
gone and overtook him as he was
crossing the Caney Fork river be-
tween Smithville and Silver Point. His
driver said that he had asked to be
driven around Smithville and that in
order to reach that point he had
driven several miles out of his way.
He submitted quietly to arrest, but
later made a break to run when the
sheriff took him out of the automobile
that the chauffeur might turn in the
narrow road. The sheriff fired his
pistol at him, but missed. Overton
ducked and butted into a tree and was
stunned for a moment, during which
time the sheriff overtook him.

He was brought to Smithville, where
he was locked in jail. He was search-
ed, but no papers were found on him
by which he could be identified as
Overton. He had \$315 in cash.
TO BE TAKEN TO NASHVILLE.
It was later learned this afternoon
that Overton would fight extradition
and would be carried to Nashville by
the authorities pending the outcome.
After that he possibly will be brought
back to Huntsville to face the charge
of murder. Overton was only a
shadow of his former self. He was
identified by Robert Lawler, brother
of the murdered judge.
Smithville, Tenn., where Overton
was captured, is only 112 miles from
Huntsville, the scene of the crime.

**HUNTSVILLE CHIEF IS
SURE MAN IS OVERTON.**
(International News Service.)
Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 26.—A tele-
phone message from Chief of Police
Dias, of Huntsville, shortly afternoon
today confirmed the report that David
Overton had been captured at Smith-
ville, Tenn. Contrary to reports re-
ceived earlier in the morning, Over-
ton will be taken to Montgomery in-
stead of Birmingham. Chief Dias re-
fused to give the name of the person
who first identified Overton. Chief
Dias said positively that the captured
man is Overton.

**NALLS AND BROOKS HEARING
GOES OVER UNTIL THURSDAY**
(International News Service.)
Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 26.—The
preliminary hearing of Percy Brooks
and Robert M. Nalls, charged with
complicity in the murder of Judge
Lawler, has been set for Thursday,
having been postponed from yester-
day.

Huntsville, Ala., Sept. 26.—(Special)
—Mayor Terry and his board of alder-
men, elected for the full term and ap-
pointed by Governor Henderson to fill
out the unexpired short term, were
sworn into office today. Huntsville
has replaced its municipal govern-
ment with the old aldermanic rule.
According to reports received here
more than a week ago, Overton re-
turned to Huntsville on the night of
Sunday, Sept. 17. He is reported to
have hired a taxicab at Athens,
agreeing to pay the driver a large
fare for making the nocturnal trip,
and declaring that it was imperative
that he go before daylight. On ar-
riving at the Madison county capital,
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LANSING DENIES BELL'S REPORT THAT VILLA TOOK PART IN THE CHIHUAHUA RAID

STATE DEPARTMENT HEAD SAYS
VILLA WAS NOT NEAR CITY
DURING FIGHT.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT MADE

AMERICAN COMMISSIONERS TO
PRESENT NEW PLAN FOR FI-
NANCING CARRANZA.

(International News Service.)

Washington, Sept. 26.—In an offi-
cial statement today Secretary Lan-
sing flatly contradicted the official re-
port of Gen. George Bell, Jr., that
Villa was present at the raid at Chi-
huahua City on Sept. 16; that Car-
ranza soldiers deserted to him, and
that vast quantities of munitions were
captured.

Secretary Lansing stated that the
state department information con-
forms to the facts as presented by the
Mexican government that Villa was
not in Chihuahua.

**AMERICAN COMMISSIONERS
HAVE NEW PLAN NOW.**
(International News Service.)

New London, Conn., Sept. 26.—Sat-
isfied of the inability of the Mexican
commission to induce American bank-
ers to float a loan of \$110,000,000 or
more, the American commissioners
are prepared to submit a proposal for
the establishment of a practical finan-
cial protectorate over Mexico, it was
learned on high authority today.

The plan is this: To guarantee the
payment of the interest and principal
on a Mexican loan; to establish an
American commission to supervise the
rehabilitation of Mexico; to establish
as a collateral issue a constabulary
under the partial control of this com-
mission for patrolling the northern
section of Mexico and for the protec-
tion of the border. This border patrol
under the present plan would be offi-
cered for the most part by American
military men and made up of Mexi-
cans qualified for the positions.

Pending the arrival of a reply from
Carranza to the question put up to
him by the Mexican representatives
asking if the first chief insists that
the withdrawal of American troops
be first disposed of before other nego-
tiations are opened, both commissions
are practically at a standstill.
Ambassador Arredondo later made
public an official report containing all
the facts about the raid received from
Minister of Foreign Affairs Aguilar
in Mexico City, which coincided with
the facts as stated by Secretary
Lansing.

BIRTH.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bar-
ren, a twelve-pound son.

IN MOURNING TO WAR'S END



Mme. Eugenie Fonarova, noted Rus-
sian beauty and concert singer, at-
tired in mourning garb. She has just
arrived in New York and brought
with her a new war style in clothes,
being dressed in black from head to
foot. The Grand Duchess Tatiana,
eldest daughter of the czar, and a
number of court ladies of Petrograd
adopted this style and took oath never
to wear anything but black until Rus-
sia was victorious over Germany.
Mme. Fonarova was present when
the plan was made and since then has
dressed in mourning.

SECOND RAID OVER ENGLAND KILLS 29

(International News Service.)

London, Sept. 26.—Undaunted
by the loss of two Zeppelins 48
hours earlier, the Germans made
another raid over England last
night and early today, killing 29
persons. Seven Zeppelins took
part in the raid. A number of
houses were wrecked.

**74 KILLED IN RAIDS
OVER ENGLAND IN 2 DAYS.**
(International News Service.)

London, Sept. 26.—Seventy-four per-
sons were killed and 152 wounded in
the Zeppelin raids over England on
Saturday and Monday night, accord-
ing to a revised list issued by the war
office this afternoon. The damage was
slight. The Zeppelins brought down
during the first raid were the L-32
and L-33, one being shot down by an
aviator. Both were of the latest and
biggest type. Thirty-eight were
killed and 125 injured in Saturday's
raid, and 36 were killed and 27 hurt
in the second raid.

GREECE IN REVOLT; ALLIES GAIN BIG VICTORY ON SOMME

Island of Corfu Rises Against Domination of
King Constantine.

VENIZELOS HURRIES TO ISLE OF CRETE

Combes, One of Three Main Objectives, Taken
By French and British Troops.

(International News Service.)

Paris, Sept. 6.—French troops
have penetrated Combes, one of
the three main objectives of the
allies on the Somme front.

Fregicourt, one mile east of
Combes, has also been captured.

The successes for the French
were announced in the official war
communication today.

Pushing forward in powerful
night attacks, the French occu-
pied both Combes cemetery and
the outskirts of the town.

The cemetery lies on the east-
ern edge of Combes and there
was furious fighting over the
graves and amidst the tomb-
stones when the Germans tried
to stem the French advance.

(International News Service.)

London, Sept. 26.—The Greek
revolution has extended to the
island of Corfu. An Athens dis-
patch today stated that Gen Soan-
non, commander of the Greek gar-
rison at Corfu, capital of the is-
land, has gone to Salonika to join
the revolutionists.

(International News Service.)

London, Sept. 26.—A complete
political upheaval in Greece and
the elimination of King Constan-
tine's authority is one of the pre-
dicted results of the forthcoming
of M. Venizelos to Crete.

There are strong indications
that the ex-premier has the sup-
port of the entente powers in any
action he may contemplate to
fulfill the Greek national aim
through the entry of that coun-
try into the war.

(International News Service.)

London, Sept. 26.—British troops
fought their way into Combes to-
day, achieving one of the most
important victories they have
won on the Somme front.

The war office in announcing
the penetration of the town by the
British stated that the German
defenders were putting up a des-
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CIRCUIT COURT HAS 186 CASES TO TRY IN SIXTEEN DAYS BEGINNING OCT. 16

FAMOUS JOHN W. JOHNSON MUR-
DER CASE IS SET TO BE
HEARD NOVEMBER 6.

174 CIVIL CASES ARE SET

NUMBER OF IMPORTANT CASES
ARE TO BE TRIED ON JURY
AND NON-JURY DOCKET.

One hundred and eighty-six civil
and criminal cases will be tried by
the circuit court of Morgan county
which begins sixteen days' work on
Oct. 16. The docket was given out
today by Circuit Court Clerk Al
Blackwell.

The civil cases to be tried before
Judge Robert Brickell number 174,
while the criminal cases which will
be prosecuted by Solicitor David C.
Almon total 12. The most important
case is that of John W. Johnson,
which will be tried on Nov. 6. John-
son is charged with killing his aged
father-in-law here ten years ago. He
has been at liberty since that time,
having skipped his bond, and was
located several weeks ago in Hunts-
ville.

The list of cases to be tried by the
circuit court is as follows:

- Civil Jury Docket—Oct. 16.**
Newcomb Bros. vs. J. H. Wiggins.
J. B. Shelton vs. Thos. R. Shipp,
et al.
T. S. Lampkin admx. vs. Alice
Bridgeforth.
E. A. Orendorff vs. R. L. Prince,
et al.
Jas. A. Anders vs. R. Sandlin, et al.
S. N. Sherman vs. Hitt Lumber Co.
(2 cases.)
Merchants & M. Saving Bank vs. S.
L. Sherrill.
P. R. Hulson vs. J. C. Eggleston, et
al.
Morgan County Grocery Co. vs. R.
N. McCulloch.
Pfleifer Bros. vs. Warrick & Hobbs.
Bennie Herring, etc. vs. L. & N.
Railroad Co.
Citizens Nat'l Bank vs. G. F. Buch-
heit.
Worley Fruit & P. Co. vs. J. W.
Bartee, et al.
Bronson West vs. E. W. Godbey,
et al.
W. D. Cannon vs. Dillehay Bros.
et al.
New York Millinery & S. Co. vs.
M. L. Finnie.
G. O. Cheneault vs. S. Foster.
S. J. Minor vs. Diana Ward.
New Decatur vs. L. & N. R. R. Co.
New Decatur vs. J. E. Penney, et
al. (2 cases.)
New Decatur vs. Decatur Land Co.
(18 cases.)

Oct. 18th.

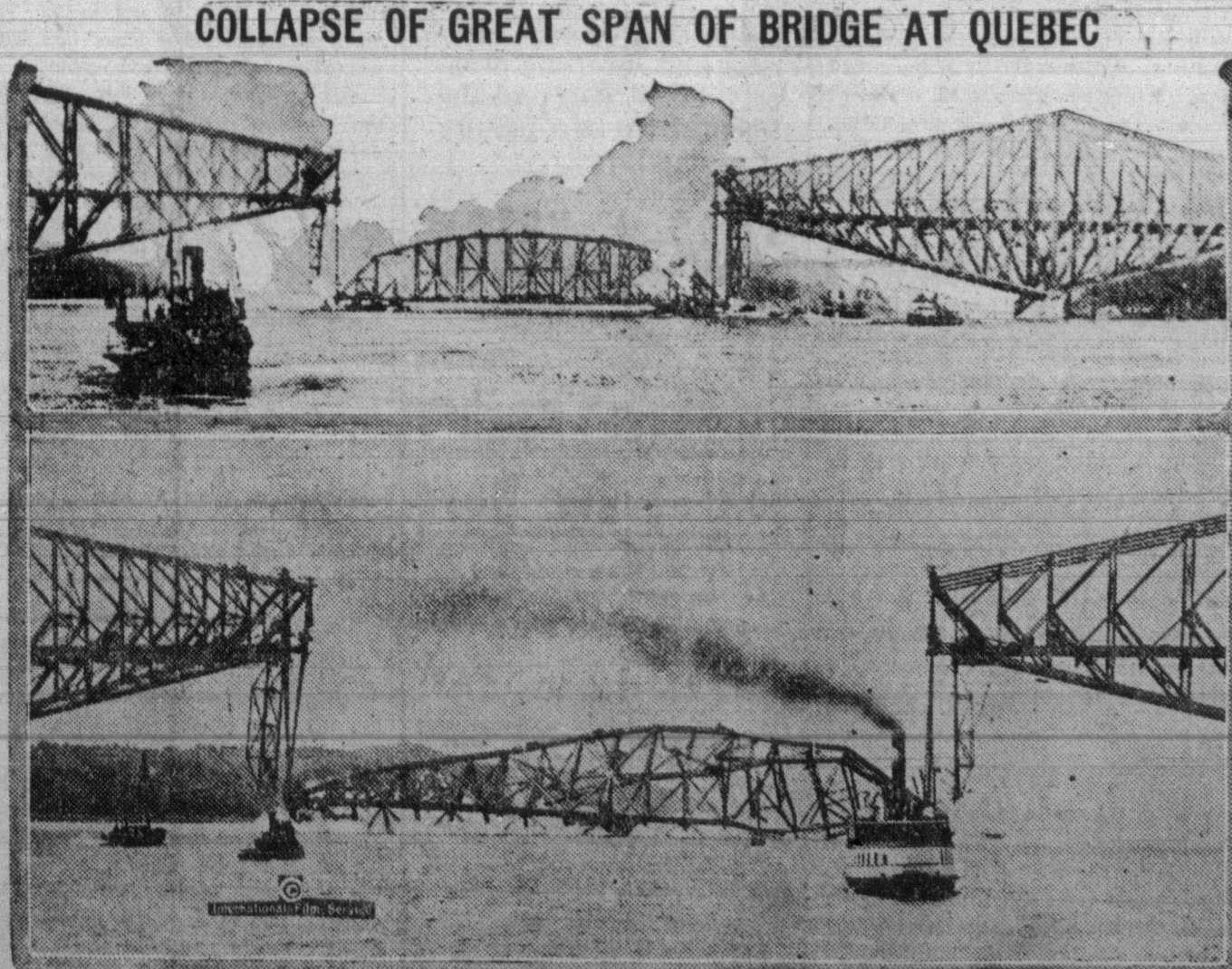
- S. N. Sherman vs. George Smith,
et al.
Cora Poteet vs. Jere Tarpey, et al.
Kate Doss vs. L. & N. R. R. Co.
Duck Brand Co. vs. P. W. Williams,
etc.
Marquette Cloak & Suit Co. vs. Wil-
liams, etc.
Drennon Co. vs. J. R. White (2
cases.)
G. Moseley vs. W. B. McCulloch.
Barbara Fromhold vs. C. L. Price.
Campbell & Cleaver vs. J. F. Stew-
art, et al.

Oct. 19th.

- Gast Croft Co. vs. J. Y. Gustin.
Lexington Savings Bank vs. W. H.
Johnson, et al.
T. S. Lampkin admx. vs. Alfred Mc-
Collum, et al.
Harrison & Harrison vs. W. A. Mc-
Calla.
C. C. Robertson, etc., vs. J. E. Pen-
ney, et al.
C. C. Doss vs. T. B. Brindley.

Oct. 23rd.

- Bee-Dee Stock Med. Co. vs. E. E.
Peden, etc.
Andrew Hightower vs. Southern
Ry. Co.
Queen City Silveg. Co. vs. J. A.
Nelson.
Brunswick-Balke Callender Co. vs.
B. F. Strange.
R. Sandlin, et al., vs. Hitt Lumber
Co.
Tenn. Valley Bank vs. John R.
Sample.
Tenn. Valley Bank vs. Luther Ad-
cock.
Tenn. Valley Bank vs. John W. Orr.
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Above, the new bridge across the St. Lawrence at Quebec, showing the immense central span in position for raising. Below, the scene at the moment of collapse, showing the mass of steel plunging into the river. A number of lives were lost, and the financial loss was very large.

We are ready to show you our first installment of Ladies' Suits and Coats in the latest fall styles

These come in the popular shades and fabrics that fashion has decreed for the present season. In spite of the advance in prices of everything that goes into the make of garments, you will observe, on inspection, that it is difficult to detect any advance in our prices over the past season. Our prices range from

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We guarantee a fit and alterations are made free of charge

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Underwear

We have received from the mills a large proportion of our Athenia Underwear for Ladies', Misses and Children. This is one of the most satisfactory makes of garments to be found anywhere. Those who have worn it prefer it to all other kinds. The prices are practically the same as last fall—buy them while you can.

Crepe de Chene Waists

New models and styles of these waists have come in. The \$3.50 kinds are leaders in quality, fit, style and workmanship, will compare with other kinds at \$5.00.

Williamson

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Wednesday, Sept. 27

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(Please phone all social news to 386-w, New Decatur, by 12 o'clock.)

COMPLIMENT TO MISSES

MILLIKEN AND BOND.

Mrs. W. N. Hall entertained at her residence last evening at rook, complimentary to her guests, Misses Milliken and Bond, of Florence. Four tables were arranged in the prettily decorated reception suite. Yellow and white was the motif expressed in roses and marigolds. In the animated game Miss Louise Collier won the prize, a boudoir cap, and Will Maples the box of hand-made handkerchiefs for the gentlemen's top score. After the presentation, assisted by Mrs. W. R. Brown, of Florence, the hostess served an ice course.

Those playing were the honorees, of Florence; Mrs. Esther Bearden and Miss Maud Cleary, of Augusta, Ga.; Misses Louise Collier, Mary Banks and Lulu Giles; E. Peden, W. Maples, A. C. Cain, J. Johnson, T. H. Morrow, T. Pride and H. T. Thomas.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY CENTRAL M. E. CHURCH.

Mrs. C. L. Price was hostess to the Woman's Missionary Society of the Central M. E. church Monday afternoon. Mrs. Brooks was the leader, assisted by Mrs. A. E. Humphrey, Carl Patterson and Jack Rose. A feature of the social hour was the excellent rendition of a number of instrumental selections by Miss Willie Fleet, the daughter of the house.

Mrs. T. A. Bowles is at the Woman's hospital, Nashville, for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Shropshire have named their baby girl Helen Grace.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Goforth and daughter, of Lynneville, are visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Vantrees are in Memphis attending the Tri-State fair, from where they expect to go to Paducah, Ky.

Miss Ruby Moore has returned to her home in Cullman after a delightful visit to Miss Orven McMullan in South Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Calvin will arrive in Athens, when they will have concluded their nuptial trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Atlee Hoff and Mrs. Belle Henkle returned Saturday night from a week's stay at Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Calvin, of Selma, will be the guests of friends and relatives in Athens and Decatur about Oct. 1st.

Mrs. David Strygley went to Hartselle Monday for a few days' stay.

Little Miss Marjorie Pointer is suffering a malarial attack, accompanied by rheumatism.

Misses Kate Milliken and Mary Emma Bond, of Florence, are the guests of Mrs. W. N. Hall.

No. 666

This is a prescription prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER. Five or six doses will break any case, and if taken then as a tonic the Fever will not return. It acts on the liver better than Calomel and does not gripe or sicken. 25c

Had Terrible Pains in Kidneys and Back.

Dear Mr. Editor:—I want to write you about "Anuric." I was very sick, could hardly be up; I was in bed most of the time. Had terrible pains in my kidneys and back, so much so that I had to scream sometimes when I was sitting down and wanted to get up, the pain was so great. I had tried a well-known kidney medicine but it didn't help me. I heard of Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets so I thought I would try them. I took only one box of the Tablets, and my back is now free from pain and I can work and take care of my family. I feel I cannot say enough for this medicine. Sincerely, Mrs. Wm. Keller.

NOTE:—This "Anuric" is adapted especially for kidney complaints and diseases arising from disorders of the kidneys and bladder, such as backache, weak back, rheumatism, dropsy, congestion of the kidneys, inflammation of the bladder, scalding urine and urinary troubles. The physicians and specialists at Dr. Pierce's great Institution, at Buffalo, N. Y., have thoroughly tested this prescription and have been with one accord successful in eradicating these troubles, and in most cases absolutely curing the diseased kidneys. Patients having once used "Anuric" at Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, have repeatedly sent back for more. Such a demand has been created that Dr. Pierce has decided to put "Anuric" in the drug stores of this country, in a ready-to-use form. If not obtainable send one dime by mail to Dr. Pierce for trial package or 50 cents for full treatment.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a blood cleanser and alternative that starts the liver and stomach into vigorous action. It thus assists the body to make rich, red blood, which feeds the heart, nerves, brain and organs of the body. You feel clean, strong and strenuous.

PERSONALS

R. H. Goforth passed through Albany Sunday, en route to the Pasteur Institute at Montgomery.

L. H. Bullard and family have leased the Cook residence on Johnston street. Mr. Bullard is the new superintendent of the Gulf Compress Company.

Secretary S. A. Randle, of the Y. M. C. A., is now occupying the residence at 308 Fourth avenue.

Frank Baker is suffering a severe attack of malaria.

Atlee Hoff left last night for a two weeks' stay in Indiana and Kentucky.

Victim Tells of \$15,000 Blackmail

Wealthy New Yorker Says he Makes Disclosures to Help Others.

(International News Service.) Chicago, Sept. 26.—Amazing disclosures of how he was bliked out of \$15,000 by members of the blackmail syndicate who caught him in a compromising position with one of the hands "come on" in the Ansonia Hotel, New York, were made here today by Edward R. West, a wealthy Hyde Park importer.

The woman with whom he was trapped was Buda Godman, a striking brunette, who with Helen Evers did the luring for the syndicate. She was under arrest here today.

West is a widower and very wealthy. In order that others might profit by his humiliating experience, West said he decided to make public the sensational details of his case.

Primary in New Jersey Held Today

(International News Service.) Trenton, N. J., Sept. 26.—New Jersey, President Wilson's home state, is today voting in the primaries on the gubernatorial, senatorial and minor candidates. The president will vote at Princeton.

Southern Cotton Oil Mill Begins Grind

Running Night and Day, With Full Force on the Job.

The local pay roll was increased yesterday by the opening for the season of the Southern Cotton Oil Company's local mill, which Manager Wiggins announces will be operated night and day. Cotton seed is coming in slowly, it was stated.

Files \$5,000 Suit For False Arrest

Claiming that Gus Poole caused his arrest on a charge of "false pretenses, maliciously and without probable cause," Roy Sloan filed suit this morning in the Morgan county law and equity court for \$5,000 damages. Sloan alleges he was arrested on the charge and was forced to serve fifteen days in the county jail before the matter was cleared up. The suit was filed by Kenneth Cooper.

GOVERNMENT AFTER GEORGIA WHITE CAPPERS.

(International News Service.) Blue Ridge, Ga., Sept. 26.—More than fifty federal orders have been issued for prominent citizens of this place for beating and deporting Guy Miller, a mine worker's organizer of Denver, Colo., who was attempting to organize the workers of the copper mines at Copper Hill, Tenn.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the Electors of the City of Albany: I wish to extend my most sincere thanks to my friends of this city for their support in the late election for alderman of the Third ward. Although I was defeated by a petition which, as I understand, should not have come out, I submit to my defeat like a gentleman. I was honorably nominated in the mass meeting held in this ward by more than 2 to 1, and also carried the Third ward by a large majority in the election of Sept. 18, and will say that I went into this race clean and came out clean. I especially want to thank the Second and Third wards for standing by me so faithfully.

Respectfully,
J. W. McCall.

VERTON ARRESTED; ADMITS IDENTITY

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Overton is said to have skillfully directed the chauffeur through back streets to a house from which the light of a feeble candle flickered. There he got out, handing the driver \$2.00 more than the fare agreed upon. It is believed that in making his getaway from Huntsville, he flagged a passenger train at Gurley.

Detectives who have watched the Overton home at Huntsville were convinced that they recently prevented Mrs. Overton from going to a conference with her husband by their vigilance, as she is said to have suspected that she was being watched. It is strongly believed here that Overton has made more than one trip to Huntsville since he left that town suddenly when the Lawler murder was discovered, and it is currently reported that on one occasion he disguised himself as a negro woman and went upon the streets.

BOARD TO MEET.

The general board of the Willoughby Presbyterian church will meet this evening at 7:15 o'clock at the church. Every member of this board is urged to be present. A social hour will follow the business session.

SEVERE PUNISHMENT

Of Mrs. Chappell, of Five Years' Standing, Relieved by Cardui.

Mt. Airy, N. C.—Mrs. Sarah M. Chappell of this town, says: "I suffered for five years with womanly troubles, also stomach troubles, and my punishment was more than any one could tell. I tried most every kind of medicine, but none did me any good."

I read one day about Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I decided to try it. I had not taken but about six bottles until I was almost cured. It did me more good than all the other medicines I had tried, put together.

My friends began asking me why I looked so well, and I told them about Cardui. Several are now taking it.

Do you, lady reader, suffer from any of the ailments due to womanly trouble, such as headache, backache, sideache, sleeplessness, and that everlasting tired feeling?

If so, let us urge you to give Cardui a trial. We feel confident it will help you, just as it has a million other women in the past half century.

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Yes, it actually is "as fine as silk" for Valier's Dainty Flour is sifted through pure white silk until it is so fine in texture that it almost floats in the air. No wonder this superfine flour makes such light, beautiful baking. Order Valier's Dainty, from your grocer, next time you need flour.



DECATUR DISTRICT Woman's Missionary Conference OCTOBER, 3RD AND 4TH, 1916 HARTSELLE, ALA.

TUESDAY, OCT. 3rd.

9:30 A. M.—Devotional Mrs. B. E. Preutt.
Organization.
Report of District Secretary Mrs. S. D. Johnson.
Report of Adult Societies.
Report of Young People's Societies.
Publicity, Mission and Bible Study Mrs. D. D. McGehee.
How to Overcome Our Difficulties By Delegates.
LUNCH.
2:00 P. M.—Devotional Mrs. Waldsmith.
Roll Call—Report as to "Standard of Excellence."
Report of Junior Societies.
Song by Young People.
Young Peoples' Work Mrs. R. I. Walston.
"Our Juniors" Miss Davidson.
Christian Stewardship.
8:00 P. M.—Devotional Rev. F. C. Aldridge.
"Christ in America"—Pageant by Young People.
Address—"God's Call to Christian Womanhood of the World" Mrs. M. P. Henderson.

WEDNESDAY.

9:30 A. M.—Devotional Miss Bethard.
Our Finances Mrs. Henderson.
Plans for Campaign Mrs. Henderson.
Chart Talk—Secretary.
LUNCH.
1:30 P. M.—Devotional Mrs. Fulmer.
Social Service Mrs. L. J. Ramage.
Organizing the District.
Resolutions.
Benediction.

ON account of religious holiday our store will be closed until 5:30 p. m. on THURSDAY, Sept. 28th. For the convenience of our trade we remain open until 9 o'clock that day.

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OUTFITTERS TO THE FAMILY
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Catarrh Cannot Be Cured
with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood-purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free. P. J. CHEVREY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. All Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

GREECE IN REVOLT; ALLIES GAIN BIG

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perate resistance, but that it was being overcome by the attacking forces.

BULGARS FAIL TO CHECK ADVANCE OF ALLIES.

(International News Service.)
Paris, Sept. 26.—Efforts of the Bulgarians to check the advance of the Russo-French forces in western Macedonia have been frustrated. The French war office in a report today announced that the French successfully resisted the most violent attacks by Bulgarians east of Florina.

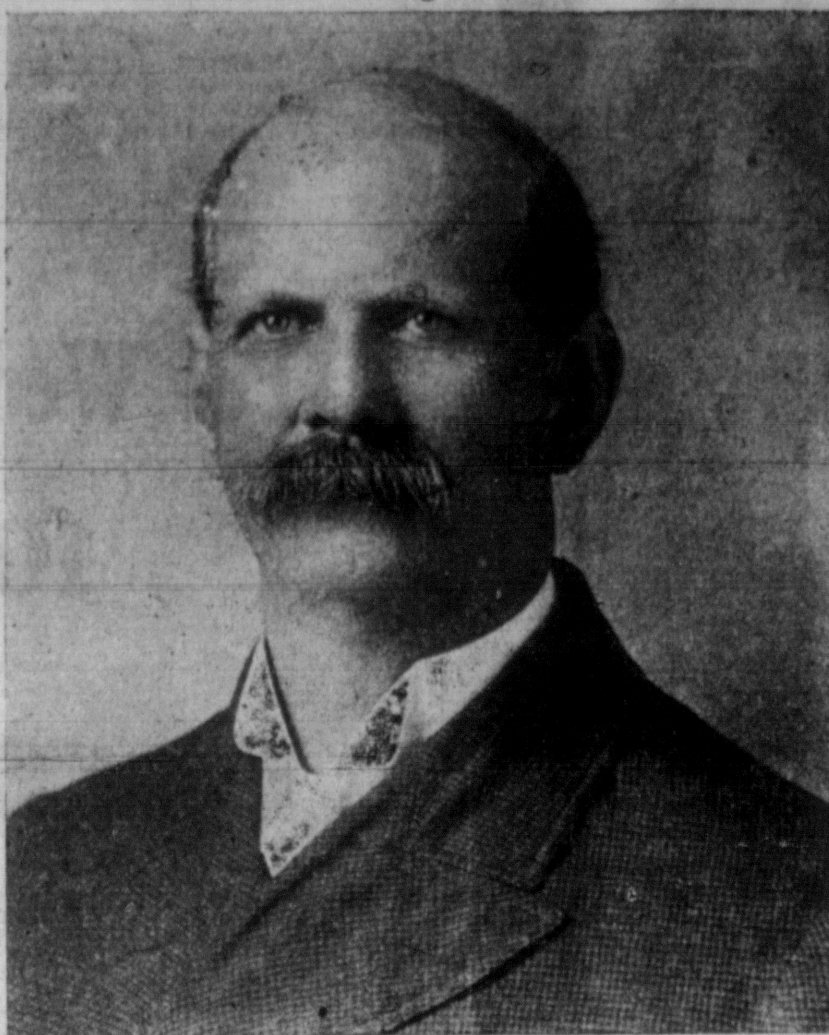
GERMANS ADMIT LOSS OF SEVERAL VILLAGES.

(International News Service.)
Berlin, Sept. 26.—The German war office this afternoon admitted the loss of the German positions on the Guedecourt-Bouchazeanes line, including the villages of Les Bouess, Morval and Fregicourt.

GERMANS ADMIT LOSS OF IMPORTANT PASSES.

(International News Service.)
Berlin, Sept. 26.—The Vutgan and Szudurk passes, the two gateways to Transylvania, have again fallen to the Roumanians, after a 24-hour battle of the utmost ferocity. The Austro-German forces which last week captured the passes were again thrown from the heights surrounding them and according to official admission of the German war office, "were taken back last night in order."

Famous Kentucky Evangelist



John W. Masters, the Kentucky State Evangelist, who began a series of meetings Sunday at the First Christian Church on Moulton Street, Albany.

Roy Gilliam Says Local Company is up to War Strength

G. M. Gilliam, the popular news agent, is in receipt of a letter from his soldier boy, Roy Gilliam, who is with Company E at Montgomery. He writes that Captain Jackson has been receiving such large reinforcements that he has had men to spare to other companies. Fifteen of his men were recently transferred to other commands.

Young Gilliam says that he is now in the company hospital for speck treatment. In reply to his mother, who asked if he needed any additional money, he replied that Captain Jackson said that he did not need any money, that whatever treatment, special diet or attention he needed, he would see that he got it.

MAYR'S WONDERFUL REMEDY FOR STOMACH TROUBLE

Gall Stones, Cancer and Ulcers of the Stomach and Intestines, Auto-Intoxication, Yellow Jaundice, Appendicitis and other fatal ailments result from Stomach Trouble. Thousands of Stomach Sufferers owe their complete recovery to Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. Unlike any other for Stomach Ailments. For sale by S. M. Thompson and druggists everywhere.

Local Station Gets Three More Recruits

Three more recruits were received Monday at the local National Guard recruiting office, which is now in charge of Sergeant Hertz during the absence from the city of Capt. James S. Parrish.

The men who made application are: William Hambrick, Huntsville, Alfred Willingham, Danville, Levy Willingham, Danville.

Captain Parrish is expected to return here late today, having stopped over in Birmingham to visit his sister, Mrs. Pat Cummins, who is ill there.

Hughes Voice is Improved Today

Candidate Campaigns in Ohio and Hammers Wilson Policies.

(International News Service.)
Finlay, Ohio, Sept. 26.—Chas. E. Hughes opened the second day of his three days whirl through Ohio today with a 15-minute speech here to several thousand farmers and workmen. "The former justice's voice was much improved today," despite the strain it was put to last night at Dayton.

Hughes continued to hammer the 8-hour law, the anti-trust act, the government shipping bill and other acts of the administration.

NOTICE OF PARTIAL SETTLEMENT State of Alabama, Morgan County.

Probate Court, Sept. 25, 1916.

Estates of Pritchett, Lilly and Robert Hollomon.

Notice is hereby given to all interested parties that Mrs. Lilly Daniel as guardian of the estates of Pritchett Hollomon, Robert Hollomon and Lilly Hollomon Reeves has filed her accounts and vouchers for the partial settlement of her guardianship of said estate and that the 23d day of Oct., 1916, has been set as the day for hearing such settlement, at which time you can appear and contest said settlement.

WM. E. SKEGGS,
S 25 O 2-9. Judge of Probate.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of seven fieri facias issued out of the Clerk's office of the Law and Equity Court of Morgan County, and State of Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I am commanded to make the amount of a certain judgment recently obtained against Frank C. Brown, et al., out of the goods, chattels, lands and tenements of the said Frank C. Brown, I have levied on the following property, to-wit:

Vacant lot 15, block 37, addition 3, Decatur Land Improvement and Furnace Company to Decatur, Alabama. House and lot 34 and 20 feet of west side lot 20, Decatur, Alabama, and part of lot 356 on Oak and Vine streets, Decatur, Alabama.

Therefore, according to said command, I shall expose for sale, at public auction, all the right, title, and interest of the above-named Frank C. Brown, et al., to the above-described property, on Monday, the 2nd day of October, 1916, during the legal hours of sale, at the court house door, in Decatur, Alabama.

Dated at Decatur, Ala., this 5th day of Sept., 1916.

JAMES A. FORMAN,
Sheriff Morgan County, Ala.
By J. L. Draper, O. D. S 11-18-15

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All Who Can Are Urged To Come In the Afternoon

Government Alarmed Over Bread Advance

(International News Service.)

Washington, Sept. 26.—Reports of actual increases in bread prices in various parts of the country caused serious concern today at the offices of the federal trade commission. The apparent certainty of a nation-wide advance in bread made it clear that consideration of the problem by federal authorities must be hastened. It was stated that members of the commission on vacation would hurry back here.

Cates Revival Now in its Third Week

Large Crowd Hears Evangelist Monday Night at Malone Garage.

Last night's meeting marked the entrance into its third week of the Cates revival, which is being conducted in the Malone garage at the foot of Second avenue. The evangelist choose as his text: "The wicked shall be turned into hell, and they shall have no rest, neither day nor night forever." Church members were carefully cautioned by the preacher as to their attitude toward the lost. Mr. Cates declared that their unconcern marked most of them as only members of churches and not members of Christ. In the course of his sermon the speaker turned aside to deliver a special warning against suicide. He said: "Do not ever stain your soul with your own blood. If you do there is no place of repentance for you."

Much interest was manifested when the call for the unconverted was made and definite results were obtained, as has been the case at all the night sessions of the revival.

Rev. Cates showed the strain of his Sunday efforts, but was clear and concise in his presentation of his message, and was full of sympathy.

Owing to the number of guests coming and going at the hotel, it was thought best that Mr. Cates be privately entertained during the remainder of the meeting. Last night he expressed his appreciation at large measure of Christian hospitality that had been extended to him. In the after meeting large numbers of workers stood as a witness that they wished to be used to bring others to a knowledge of the Savior.

Tent Revival Closes, Evangelist Returns

Rev. J. J. Rye, of Nashville, who has been conducting a ten days' tent meeting here, returned home yesterday.

All the services of the meeting were held in the tent with the exception of those on Sunday, which were held in the Ninth Street Methodist church, and in the Willoughby Presbyterian church.

Ten persons are reported as receiving regeneration and fifteen professed sanctification. Those who were instrumental in bringing Rev. Rye to these cities express highest praise of him as a man, and great satisfaction at the results achieved in the meetings.

WORKERS' MEETING.

There will be a workers' meeting at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the manse, 502 Sherman street, for the officers, teachers, substitutes and workers of the Westminster Presbyterian Sabbath school. This will be the last regular workers' meeting of the old Sabbath school year, and much business is to be transacted, therefore a full attendance is desired.

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Gives you more to eat than any man in town for less money

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14th Episode of "PEG OF THE RING"

"His Bitter Pill"

Mack Swain and an all star cast in a Keystone Comedy

COMING WEDNESDAY

"Stronger Love"

A Morosco-Paramount Production, Featuring VIVIAN MARTIN

Official Table

Averages of the Sunday Schools of the Decatur. This report will be published each week:

Sunday, Sept. 24th, 1916

SCHOOL	Total Enrolled	No. Present	Per Ct School
A First Baptist, Decatur.....	144	86	597
Central Baptist, Albany.....	246	174	707
Baptist South Albany.....	260	151	580
Baptist, East Albany.....	203	127	625
First Christian, Albany.....	82	60	731
First Methodist, Decatur.....	289	168	581
Central Methodist, Albany.....	485	275	567
Ninth Street Methodist, South Albany...	152	102	671
First Presbyterian, Decatur.....	110	52	472
West Side Presbyterian, West Albany...	194	88	453
Westminster Presb't'n, Albany.....	135	132	977
Willoughby Presbyterian, South Albany	135	105	777
St. John Episcopalian.....	70	42	600
Salvation Army Decatur-Albany.....			
Jackson St. Church of Christ.....			
Berean Sunday-School.....	35	18	510
Fairview Baptist S. S. School.....			

A This school (First Baptist) installed 15 officers and teachers yesterday to serve one year:

J. W. Montgomery, Gen'l Supt. F. M. Robinson, Supt. Junior and Int. Dept. S. A. Lynn Supt. Adult Dept. Mrs. E. J. Polhill Supt. Primary Dept. Mrs. W. J. Garnett Supt. Beginners.

All the former teachers were retained.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE

Morgan County National Bank

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS SEPTEMBER 12, 1916.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts.....\$345,039.31	Capital Stock.....\$100,000.00
Overdrafts.....169.09	Surplus and Profits.....50,278.68
Building and Fixtures.....23,052.39	Reserved for Taxes.....1,065.96
Other Real Estate.....1,581.50	Reserved for Interest.....573.65
Revenue Stamps.....40.44	Certified Checks.....249.26
U. S. Bonds.....50,000.00	Cashiers Checks.....9.30
Alabama Bonds.....5,000.00	Due to Banks.....2,807.18
Stock Fed. Reserve Bank.....3,600.00	Dividend Checks.....28.00
Cash in Vault...\$ 40,643.69	Circulation.....49,100.00
Due from Banks 104,540.26 145,183.95	Deposits.....372,154.65
5% Redemption Fund.....2,500.90	
\$576,266.68	\$576,266.68

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You can buy your children's shoes for so little as \$1.50 to \$2.00—and they will wear them out in a few weeks—or you can buy them our

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Boy's at \$2.00 to \$3.50

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(according to size, age and grade)

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\$10,000 For Ten Grand Free Acts, which will give two Free Performances Daily.

\$1,000 Nightly spent for Gorgeous Fire works Display.

Memoli's Celebrated Band Will give continuous free band concerts. All of these attractions will be absolutely FREE.

The Great Dominion Carnival Co. Direct from the World's Largest Fairs, presenting thirty marvelous attractions, including three riding devices, with its own splendid band, will furnish a constant round of amusement and instruction on the Midway.

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